
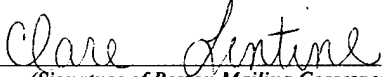


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October 20, 1998
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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Official Office Action of July 22, 1998, please amend as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 2, line 5, insert -5, 642, 605- after "No."; line 6, insert -July 1, 1997- before the period.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amend claim 1 to read as follows: